

CITY OF CHICOPEE TAX ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

FOR DISABLED CITIZENS AND LOW INCOME SENIOR CITIZENS

Meeting: December 20, 2006 Location: Aldermanic Chambers

<u>Attendance:</u> Stanley Iwanicki, Jim Tillotson, George Moreau, <u>Absent:</u> Ernest Laflamme, Marjorie Wojcik, Carole Harms

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 P.M. by Chairman Stanley Iwanicki

Collector Harms report on the status of the TAX ADE trust fund as follows:

	Revenue	Expense	Balance
FY2002	505.94	•	505.94
FY2003	1274.44	500.00	1280.38
FY2004	535.29		1815.67
FY2005	478.81	1200.00	1094.48
FY2006	592.63	950.00	737.11
FY2007	244.34	300.00	681.45

DISCUSSION: Assessor Iwanicki requested that the Tax Aid Committee Decision Deadline be changed, from 60 days after the tax bills are mailed, to 90 days. Motion was made by Alderman Tillotson to extend the deadline. Seconded by Alderman Moreau. Motion passed.

APPLICATIONS FOR FY2007 WERE REVIEWED AND DISCUSSED:

There were 10 applications for FY07.

Six of the applicants were denied.

Three of the applicants were not eligible because they were eligible for an existing exemption. The applicants will be mailed an exemption application to file with the Assessors' office.

One applicant was determined to be eligible for assistance. Motion was made by Alderman Tillotson to grant assistance of \$300.00 to the applicant. Seconded by Alderman Moreau. Unanimously approved.

Meeting recessed at 3:30 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stanley Iwanicki

Assessor